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SUBJECT: VISIT OF W. PAULISHAK, NOAA DATA SPECIALIST

REF: A) STATE 293405 DTD 12/9/77 B) KIN 11869 DTD 12/16/77

1. MR. NKANGA, HEAD OF THE GEOPHYSICS DIVISION OF THE ZAIRIAN METEOROLOGICAL INSTITUTE, HAS WARNED EMBOFF THAT ALTHOUGH HIS OFFICE IN KINSHASA HAS MOST OF THE PROCESSED DATA FROM MAGNETIC OBSERVATORIES, COMPLETE SETS OF DATA ARE STORED AT OBSERVATORY SITES. NKANGA HAS ALL OF DATA ON H COMPONENT WHICH HE SENDS MONTHLY TO IAGA. THREE MAGNETIC OBSERVATORIES ARE LOCATED AT KINSHASA, LUBUMBASHI, AND BUNIA, IN FAR NORTHEASTERN CORNER OF ZAIRE. FLIGHTS TO BUNIA ARE INFREQUENT AND ERRATIC. HOWEVER, BUNIA OBSERVATORY HAS NOT FUNCTIONED FOR TWO YEARS. AIR ZAIRE FLIGHTS TO LUBUMBASHI ARE ALMOST DAILY, BUT RESERVATIONS MUST BE MADE A WEEK IN ADVANCE. PLEASE ADVISE IF PAULISHAK CONVINCED THAT TRIP TO LUBUMBASHI IS NECESSARY. HOW LONG WOULD PAULISHAK NEED IN LUBUMBASHI?

2. NKANGA FINALLY RECEIVED SEPTEMBER 19 LETTER PROPOSING PAULISHAK VISIT AND RESPONDED IN DECEMBER 18 LETTER TO SVENDSEN, OF ENVIRONMENTAL DATA SERVICE AT BOULDER, WELCOMING VISIT. LETTER ALSO WARNS THAT THEIR STOCK OF 40 BY 30 CM PHOTO SENSITIVE PAPER FOR MAGNETOMETERS IS ALMOST EXHAUSTED AND REQUESTS
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SVENDSEN TO ASSIST IN OBTAINING MORE.

3. PLEASE ADVISE WHETHER PAULISHAK PLANS TO SPEND NIGHT OF FEBRUARY 8 IN BRAZZAVILLE OR IF HE PLANS TO FLY DIRECTLY TO KINSHASA AS RECOMMENDED IN REF B. IF HE GOES TO BRAZZAVILLE FIRST, HE SHOULD HAVE AMEMBASSY THERE ADVISE AMEMBASSY KINSHASA OF ETA KINSHASA SO THAT EMBASSY EXPEDITER CAN ASSIST AT

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